

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION

THOMAS CALDWELL,

Plaintiff,

v.

JANET PELMORE and  
CORRECTIONS CORP. OF AMERICA,

Defendants.

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Case No. 3:13-cv-00173

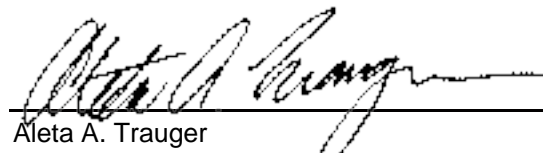
Judge Trauger

**ORDER**

Plaintiff Thomas Caldwell, an individual currently detained or incarcerated at the Metro-Davidson County Detention Facility in Nashville, Tennessee, filed his *pro se* complaint in this action (ECF No. 1), along with an Application to Proceed *in Forma Pauperis* (ECF No. 2). The application, however, is not accompanied by a “certified copy of the trust fund account statement (or institutional equivalent) for the prisoner for the 6-month period immediately preceding the filing of the complaint . . . , obtained from the appropriate official of each prison at which the prisoner is or was confined,” as required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2).

Accordingly, the plaintiff is **DIRECTED** to submit a copy of his trust-fund account statement in compliance with § 1915(a)(2). The plaintiff’s submission must state the docket number of this case on its face (No. 3:13-cv-173). The court may not address the merits of the plaintiff’s application, or his complaint, until the trust fund account statement has been filed. The plaintiff **MUST** submit the document requested within **30 days** of the date this order is entered on the docket. The plaintiff’s failure to do so, or to request an extension of time for doing so, within that 30-day period may result in the dismissal of the plaintiff’s claims for failure to prosecute and failure to comply with the court’s order.

It is so **ORDERED**.

  
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Aleta A. Trauger  
United States District Judge